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## FILIPINO MURDERERS TO PAY PENALTY ON GALLOWS

In the Circuit Court at 9 o'clock Thursday morning Judge Dickey pronounced the sentence of death upon Colaste, Feliciano Hirano and Juan Coronel, the three Filipinos who brutally murdered Wada, a Japanese truck farmer, in Kalihiwai valley, in June; almost killed the man's wife and wounded, by shooting, two of his sons.

The men were sentenced separately, although the wording of the sentences were the same. All seemed practically unmoved except Coronel, who manifested more or less excitement.

From the court house the men were taken to the county jail where a continuous watch was established over them.

Saturday afternoon Jailer Dias and Officer Hookano left with them for Honolulu, where they will be locked in cells in the Territorial penitentiary. A wireless was sent to High Sheriff Jarret to meet

the Kinau at the Honolulu dock and take charge of the men, which was done.

Under the law the men cannot be hung under fourteen days from the date sentence is pronounced.

The Governor will have the duty of signing the death warrants and fixing the day for the executions. The men will probably be hung together in the jail yard of Oahu prison.

At the time of the verdict, counsel for the defendants noted exceptions and gave notice of intention to appeal. Appeal has not been perfected, however, and probably will never be for the reason that the case against the men was overwhelming.

This is the only case of the death sentence in the Kauai courts in a very long time, but the three at a clip probably makes up for lost time.

## INSURANCE CO. TO BE STARTED HERE

Zeno K. Myers, of the Home Insurance Co., who has been on Kauai for a week or more, has called a meeting for Thursday evening at Hotel Lihue for the purpose of organizing a local insurance company. He has prepared a prospectus, which fully explains the proposition, reading as follows:

Following the successful operation of the Home Insurance Company of Hawaii, Limited, a local company has recently been organized to operate at Hilo on the island of Hawaii.

There is a splendid opportunity for a number of local companies—say one on each island—to in a measure affiliate for an exchange of business. Kauai offers a very splendid field considering the wealth of the Island and the very large insurance values. A local company can be organized complying fully with the requirements of the law by a subscribed capital of \$100,000, \$50,000 of which must be paid in.

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## A Juvenile Offender

Antonio Yambot, a Filipino lad not over eighteen years of age, was convicted in the Circuit Court yesterday of a statutory crime and sentenced to the Reformatory School. The case proved an unusual one. The girl (Hawaiian) is only 13. Having some trouble at home near Lihue, she met her Filipino boy lover by appointment at the half-way bridge. They went to Koloa and tried to get a marriage license, but it was refused on account of both being below age. Boy and girl, greatly disappointed, left Koloa together. The next afternoon they were found by the police at the former's house in Lawai, the boy being at that time arrested.

## Benefit Of Doubt

Antolino Rodrigues, committed from the Koloa district court on the charge of assault with a dangerous weapon, was given the "benefit of the doubt" by a jury in the Circuit Court at the week-end, and was discharged.

## SUBJECT FOR THE BIG CONVENTION

The literary program committee of the Kauai Chamber of Commerce appointed to arrange features indicated by its name for the Civic Convention, which will be held in Lihue September 26 and 27, held a lengthy session Thursday evening and completed a tentative outline of its plans.

It was decided to have one, general theme toward which the convention would bear, the set speeches being of a character to come under it. The general subject practically decided upon was "Civic Righteousness." It is understood that the committee has developed from this subject numerous lines of discussion which will prove of immediate interest to every island in the group.

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## The Rices To Coast

Hon. and Mrs. W. H. Rice, Sr. and their daughter, Mrs. Ralph Wilcox, sailed by the Kinau Saturday afternoon for Honolulu. Sheriff W. H. Rice and family will leave this afternoon for the city, and the entire party will then proceed to San Francisco and Oakland to visit relations and take in the fair. They will return toward the middle of September.

## Mr. Bayer Returns

Carl Bayer, manager of Makaweli store, and Thomas R. Neal, also of Makaweli, returned Wednesday morning from the exposition at San Francisco. They report having had a grand time.

## Mrs. Labenz' Estate

In the matter of the estate of the late Mrs. Labenz, Lihue, Rev. Hans Isenberg was appointed administrator on Saturday by Judge Dickey, under a bond of \$1,600, H. D. Wishard and Frank Crawford being surety. The estate consists of \$1,640 in the savings department of the Lihue Branch Bank of Hawaii.

The Kapaia band gave a very pleasing and acceptable concert in Lihue park Saturday evening.

## MAKAWELIS AGAIN WHITEWASH JAPS

One of the tightest baseball games of the season was played on the Makaweli grounds Sunday afternoon, when the home team whitewashed the J. A. C.'s.

The little, brown fellows failed to get a single hit off of Pitcher Kruse, and from first to last it was a battery game.

The crowd was fair-sized and the day could not have been better for playing, except that it was a trifle over-warm. Outside of the tight playing, the game was practically without features.

The Makawelis made one of their runs in the second innings and one in the seventh. That was all there was to the game.

## WAMEA SCHOOL PLANS COMPLETE

Plans for the new reinforced concrete school building at Waimea are complete, and it is now up to the Kauai Board of Supervisors to call for tenders and have the work of construction proceeded with.

Land Commissioner Tucker, while over here ten days ago, completed arrangements for the transfer of the required land, and the deal has received the O. K. of the Department of Public Instruction.

The new building will follow much the lines of that of the Kalihi-kai school house in Honolulu. It will contain an office, library and five or six class rooms, with wide, fronting veranda. The front will be quite imposing. All of the class rooms will be of the open-air type, a scheme which was born on and started from Kauai. The present system of bungalows remains.

The new building, while being a distinct ornament to Waimea, will ensure adequate school accommodations for years to come.

## Gross Cheat Artists

Two Filipinos are under arrest at Waimea on the charge of gross cheat. One was found guilty yesterday and will be sentenced on Thursday, prior to which time the other will be given a hearing. The men are accused of using the tickets of other parties with which to purchase goods in Makaweli store.

## Two Deaths Saturday

Two well-known Hawaiian women died in Nawiliwili Saturday night, the funerals taking place separately Sunday afternoon. One was Mrs. Uhuu and the other Mrs. Poo. The death of the former was unexpected. The latter had been ill for quite awhile.

## Atkinson Entertains

A. L. C. Atkinson, the Honolulu attorney, entertained a few friends at a special dinner at Hotel Lihue Wednesday evening.

R. L. Hughes and family, of Elele, will leave this afternoon for California, to be away about six weeks. They will visit the fair and also the old home of Mr. Hughes.

J. F. C. Hagens, of Hackfeld & Co., made a business tour of Kauai at the week-end.

## M'BRYDES RUN ALL OVER THE LIHUES

After the fourth innings, the McBryde team had everything its own way in the contest with the Lihues on the Elele field Sunday afternoon. At that point the score was tied, two to two, but in the fifth the Lihues went into the air and the sugar men romped for three tallies. After that the visitors found it impossible, apparently, to hold down their enthusiastic opponents.

Spalding and Lorenzo were easily the stars of the day, both in batting and in field work.

The game as a whole was without particular features. Although warm, it was an excellent afternoon for playing. The crowd was not so large as usual, due, perhaps, to the absence of many fans from the island.

The score by innings was as follows:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Total
Lihue,	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3
McBryde,	0	0	1	1	3	2	2	1	x	10

## SHOOTING CASE ENDS WITH FINE

A Filipino of Hanamaulu, charged with a somewhat mysterious shooting about three months ago, was found guilty by a jury in the Circuit Court, but with a recommendation for mercy. The man was sentenced to pay a fine of \$10.

The victim and the accused were in a room together and were examining a revolver which was supposed to be empty. The weapon was discharged, the ball going through the fleshy part of the arm of the complaining witness. It was hardly clearly shown that the shooting was intentional.

In pronouncing sentence, the court took into consideration the latter and also the fact that the man had been in jail about three months already.

## Coney A Deputy

Malcolm Coney, son of Hon. J. H. Coney, has been commissioned a deputy under the police department and will assist Acting Sheriff W. O. Crowell, at Lihue, in the absence of Sheriff Rice.

## Accident Board

A meeting of the Industrial Accident Board will be held in the district court room at the County Building, Lihue, at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

## A Baby Drowned

A Japanese baby was drowned in a ditch mauka of Hanamaulu yesterday, and the matter is being investigated by the police. The indications seem to be, however, that it was a case of accidental drowning.

## DIED

BOUSA—In Honolulu, July 19, 1915, Isabelle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bousa of this city, a native of Kauai, 11 months and 11 days old.

Zeno K. Myers, manager of the Home Insurance Co., has been touring Kauai on business for his company under the Workmen's Compensation law.

## TODAY'S AND LATEST NEWS BY WIRELESS

Honolulu—Vacancy in Promotion Committee, caused by failure of H. Gooding Field to pay Honolulu Chamber of Commerce fees when due, will be filled by President Waldron.

Mr. Conkling, tourist, denies published statement that his daughter lost her mind temporarily and tried to jump into the crater at the Volcano, though his bandaged hand seems to confirm the rumor.

## Warsaw Cannot Hold Out

London—It is the belief here that Warsaw, the Polish capital, cannot longer hold out, the progress of the German troops being so rapid.

The offensive of the Czar's army again collapsed on account of shortage of ammunition, putting department chiefs of the Russian government out of business.

## Russian Prisoners Captured

Since the fourteenth the Germans have captured 131,000 Russians.

## Austria And Serbia

Austria is well informed as to the preparedness of Serbia and is constructing a triple line of defenses along the Serbian frontier.

## Germans Turn South

In the Baltic province the Germans instead of driving on for Riga have turned south through Kovno with the intention of cutting the main railroad to Petrograd.

## Michelman Offers Prizes

Baron Michelman has offered a reward of a half million dollars to airmen who may bring down German dirigibles, the sum to be paid to be fifty thousand dollars in each case; and where the British airman loses his life the reward will go to his family.

## Antwerp Is Fined Again

Because of a popular demonstration for the Belgian cause, the city of Antwerp was yesterday fined \$50,000 by the German military authorities.

## Austrian Station Destroyed

Toulon—The aeroplane station of the Austrians on Lagesta Island has been demolished by a French torpedo boat destroyer, which also sunk an Austrian submarine.

## Italians Take Pelagosa

London—The island of Pelagosa, a strategic point of importance off the coast of Dalmatia, has been occupied by Italian forces.

## On The Isonzo Front

On the Isonzo front the Italians are relentlessly pushing their offensive, especially on the plateau of Roberdo, where Vienna admits they have won local successes.

## Britain's Reply To America

Washington—Great Britain's reply to the American note protesting against restrictions on neutral commerce has been received. Britain holds that the Supreme Court of the United States in Civil War rulings support the present British Orders in Council.

## Somebody Stole The "Boom"

Gloucester, Mass.—John Hayes Hammond accuses a former employee of stealing the plans for the Thermo bomb. Hammond's attorney discovered a discharged German showing the plans to fellow German residents.

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## Prof. Bryan Here

Prof. W. A. Bryan, naturalist, of the college of Hawaii, accompanied by Mrs. Bryan, spent two weeks in the Haena neighborhood, returning to Honolulu Saturday night. The Professor came over primarily to gather rare land shells, and was quite successful in his mission. Mrs. Bryan was not so fortunate, however, for she suffered a severe attack of lumbago, on which account the return to the city was made earlier than had been anticipated. While on Kauai the Bryans occupied the Haena school house as a camping headquarters.

## Kinau Overhauling

The Kinau will be laid up from August 24 to September 5 for her annual overhauling, during which time the Mauna Loa will come out on the Kauai run.

## Iona Not Guilty

Iona, the police officer charged with receiving a bribe, was found not guilty by a jury in the Circuit Court last Tuesday and discharged.

## Next Sunday's Baseball

The baseball games next Sunday will be as follows: Makaweli vs. Lihue, at Lihue; McBryde vs. J. A. C., at Elele.

Jury cases in the Circuit Court were finished yesterday, and the jurymen discharged for the term.

## New Building Plans

Plans for the new theater and business block to be erected on the site of the Hale Hooni, Lihue, and of the new, reinforced concrete residence for Manager F. Weber have been received from the Honolulu architects.

## Wm. Ellis, Leader

At the meeting of the congregation of the Lihue Hawaiian church held yesterday, Wm. Ellis was chosen leader to take the place of Hon. W. H. Rice while that gentleman is away in California.

## Unlicensed Doctor

S. Maki, a Japanese accused of practicing medicine and surgery around Makaweli without license, has been gathered in by the police of that district. He will be given a hearing in the court at Waimea, probably on Thursday.

## Arizonan Calls

The freighter Arizonan arrived at Port Allen Friday morning from the coast via Honolulu, bringing 50 tons of general cargo. She sailed again for the other islands Sunday afternoon, taking 50,000 bags of sugar.

Clarence H. Cooke, president of the Bank of Hawaii, paid a flying visit to Kauai at the week-end, coming over on Friday and returning home Saturday night.